

FIND 4 BODIES ON CAPE COD; SUSPECT HELD

PROVINCETOWN, Mass. (AP) — Dist. Atty. Edmund Dinis said today "I expect more bodies to be found" in an isolated reach of Cape Cod sand dunes where rude graves already have yielded the corpses of four girls.

Antone Costa, 25, an unemployed carpenter and one-time taxidermist, was arrested on a murder charge soon after the hacked bodies of two girls from

Providence, R.I., were unearthed two days ago.

An attorney entered a plea of innocent for the accused man Thursday and Judge Gershom D. Hall of District Court ordered him committed to the Bridgewater State hospital for a mental examination.

(Three somewhat similar slayings occurred in Berrien county five years ago. They are still unsolved.)

Dinis said he based his belief that a number of additional slayings had been committed on the fact that several missing person reports on Cape Cod girls were still unsolved.

The two Rhode Island girls were Patricia Walsh, 23, a school teacher, and Mary Ann Wysocki, 23, a college student, both of Providence.

BOTH WERE SHOT

Dr. Daniel H. Hiebert, district

medical examiner, who performed autopsies on their bodies, said both were shot dead and then hacked apart with a knife or axe before burial. Miss Walsh was decapitated. The young women were identified by dental charts.

Hiebert said the cause of death of the other two girls, whose graves police stumbled on while searching for the Providence pair, could not be deter-

mined, although one appeared to have been stabbed.

DUNES SEARCHED

Police began searching the dunes area because a car used by Miss Walsh and Miss Wysocki on a vacation trip was last seen there before they vanished on Jan. 25. The car later turned up in a parking lot in Burlington, Vt. Costa told police he had bought the car from Miss Walsh and produced a purported bill of

sale for it.

Miss Walsh and Miss Wysocki checked into a Provincetown rooming house Jan. 24.

"I was quite pleasantly impressed with the two girls," said Patricia Morton, proprietor of the rooming house. "They paid for two nights, and I gave them Room 2 on the second floor."

"They had only been here five or 10 minutes when I introduced them to Costa and some of the

other guests . . ."

Mrs. Morton said Costa checked into the rooming house Jan. 18.

"The next morning the girls weren't in their room," Mrs. Morton said. "Sunday morning I went to their room and found they had checked out. They left a note on a brown paper bag, saying 'Thank you very much for your kindness. We enjoyed our stay.'"

U.S. ASSESSING VIETNAM RESPONSE

Apollo 9 Units Are Separated

Fragile Lunar Module Goes Separate Way

SPACE CENTER, Houston (AP) — Astronauts James A. McDivitt and Russell L. Schweickart separated their fragile lunar module from the Apollo 9 command ship today and flew off on a hazardous rendezvous mission vital to America's moon landing plans.

After a brief hangup when the docking mechanism wouldn't unlatch, the two vehicles broke their lock 140 miles above the Atlantic Ocean at 7:40 a.m. EST.

Air Force Col. David R. Scott was left alone in the command module, ready to go to the rescue if something went wrong with the lunar module, or LEM.

The two vehicles stayed close at first, because, for the first time, men were orbiting the earth in a ship that can't get them home. The LEM was built to operate in space and on the moon but cannot re-enter earth's atmosphere.

So it was essential that McDivitt and Schweickart return to the command module to get home.

They were to link up in mid-afternoon, after the LEM scoots 112 miles away and then tracks down Scott in a celestial game of tag, just as two astronauts will have to do when they take off from the moon.

As Scott pulled the arrow-like docking probe out of the nose of the LEM, he reported it wouldn't come out immediately.

"We seem to be hanging on something," he reported. "I'm going to back up a bit."

McDivitt asked Mission Control "do you have any suggestions?"

But then Scott jiggled the probe away from the docking latches and told the LEM pilots:

"Okay, you're free. You're clear."

EARLY COUPLING

The two vehicles had been coupled since shortly after Apollo 9 was launched from Cape Kennedy Monday.

Initially, the astronauts pirouetted their craft around one another in a stately orbital ballet, snapping pictures and making certain the LEM systems were okay.

More than an hour after the uncoupling, with all going well, McDivitt and Schweickart fired their jets to establish a wider separation path, with maximum separation of 55 miles—also a safety measure that would bring the vehicles back close to one another after 90 minutes if no additional action were taken.

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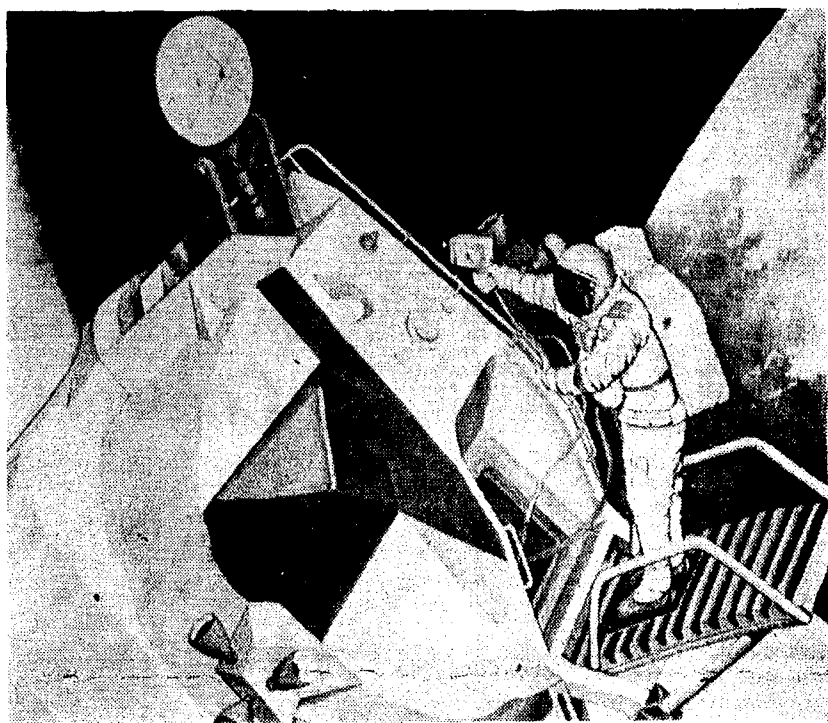
Weber Taking Leave From Legal Services

Berrien County Legal Services Bureau Atty. Maurice Weber of St. Joseph today confirmed that he is on leave of absence from his job in St. Joseph.

A former St. Joseph municipal judge, Weber faces trial April 11 in Sixth district court on a charge of driving under the influence of intoxicants. He said he expects his leave will continue until the case is settled.

Bureau Director Edward Yampolsky and the bureau's board president, Atty. Robert Cary of Niles, declined to comment further than Atty. Weber is "on leave" and "action was taken."

The bureau is funded by federal antipoverty funds to provide legal counsel for indigents.



SPACE WALK ILLUSTRATED: Drawing illustrates how astronaut Russell L. Schweickart stood outside the orbiting Apollo 9 mooncraft Thursday to perform America's first space walk in more than two years. Schweickart wore pair of "golden slippers" attached to the platform. The slippers, looking like Dutch shoes, held him fast and kept him from drifting away, enabling him to free his hands. He held a camera with which he snapped pictures and carried an oxygen-giving back pack that kept him alive and protected him from the fierce vacuum of space. (AP Wirephoto Drawing.)

Asks More Than Half For Cities

Recreation Bond Formula Proposed By Milliken

LANSING (AP) — Gov. William Milliken today urged the Michigan Legislature to give more than one-half of the \$100 million recreational bond issue to urban areas.

"I am recommending that the entire \$100 million be administered by the Department of Natural Resources on the basis of a \$30 million local grant program, a \$30 million supplement to the local grant program for urban areas and \$40 million for state projects," Milliken told newsmen.

However, Milliken explained, this plan would give counties with populations in excess of 100,000 a total of \$53 million. The counties would have to pay 25 per cent of project costs, Milliken added.

It was widely advertised during the fall campaign that \$70 million would be used for outdoor recreational projects, such as campsites and fish hatcheries. The remaining \$30 million would be used for urban areas.

NO COMMITMENT

"Although it was continually stressed during the referendum

Girl Dies; Fainted In Gym Class

Never Came Out Of Coma

GALLEN — A Galien high school sophomore who fainted during gym class last week died Wednesday at a South Bend, Ind., hospital where she had been in a coma since the incident.

School officials said they were informed that Deborah Susan Payne, 16, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Payne, route 1, Box 34, Galien, died of a cerebral hemorrhage. She had lowered her head to do a head stand when she fainted on Feb. 26. She was taken to South Bend Memorial hospital where she remained in a coma until she died Wednesday.

The cerebral hemorrhage was caused by a birth defect, school officials said they were told.

Miss Payne was born in Niles, Aug. 14, 1952. She was a 10th grade student at Galien high school and a member of the First United Methodist church of Galien.

In addition to her parents, she is survived by a brother, Robert at home; three sisters, Mrs. Gray Potter of Galien and Linda and Rosemary at home; her maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard DeFreez of Galien; and her paternal grand-

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Conservation Award To AP Science Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — Alton Blakeslee, Associated Press science writer, was named today as one of 10 winners in the Scripps - Howard Foundation's Edward J. Meeman Conservation Awards for 1968.

Blakeslee's selection was based on his five-part series on "Our Polluted Planet," published widely in newspapers across the country in February 1968. He receives a \$500 cash prize.

A new series by Blakeslee, "Safeguarding Your Teen-Ager Against Drugs," begins Monday in this newspaper.

Reject Catholic School Merger

St. John's, St. Bernard's Say Yes; St. Joseph's No

By JIM SHANAHAN
BH City Editor

Merger of Twin City Catholic schools appeared to go down the drain last night as the St. Joseph Catholic board of education voted against it.

County School Unit Is Moving

Relocating In Berrien Springs

The Berrien County Intermediate School district board last night approved April 4 for the start of moving the district headquarters into its new \$560,000 building at Berrien Springs.

The board also adopted a resolution formally setting June 9 for the countywide election on a proposed vocational-technical education program. County electors will vote on a 1.85 mill levy to finance the plan.

Action to make a \$33,000 reduction in the district's proposed budget for 1969-70, as decreed by a special board of local school district representatives recently, was delayed last night, because two of the five board members were absent.

The cuts in the original proposal of \$330,580 will be made at the April meeting, as the budget must be submitted to the county tax allocation board in April.

OPENS APRILS

James Walton, district administrative assistant, said the move from the 505 Building in St. Joseph to the new Berrien Springs location, will be started April 4, which is Good Friday, a staff holiday. The following Monday also is a holiday for the staff, and Walton said the headquarters will open for business on Tuesday, April 8.

The new district building is located on an 18.1-acre tract on US-31 just north of Berrien Springs village limits, near the Youth fairgrounds.

The entire 32-member staff will move to the new location, and an instructional materials center in a rented building in Berrien Springs also will be moved to the same structure.

Because of the move, the intermediate board set its April meeting date for April 10, instead of the regular first Thursday date.

Dodie Stock at the Colonial Beauty Parlour. 983-6366. Adv.

Spokesmen for Benton Harbor St. John's and Fairplain St. Bernard's said their boards favored consolidation. But lack of unanimity among the three boards apparently killed the issue for the time being.

St. Joseph's representatives indicated that St. John's financial plight was too great a risk to assume. Concern also was voiced for the financial status of St. Joseph's school and the future of Catholic education in the Twin Cities.

A St. Joseph suggestion that all parishioners vote on the issue was termed "an exercise in futility" by R. Rev. Msgr. Joseph R. Byrne, pastor of St. John's. He said a vote would be useless in view of the St. Joseph's board's action.

Msgr. Byrne supports a single Twin City Catholic school system.

The Rev. Cletus Rose, pastor of St. Joseph's recommended at least a year's postponement because of financial difficulties.

The Rev. David Bell, St. Bernard's pastor, said his parish would bear its fair share of the load.

PLAN RECOMMENDED

A merger of St. John's and St. Joseph's schools was recommended by a team from the Bureau of School Services of the University of Michigan which called it the most practical way of preserving Catholic education. The three parish boards had been negotiating with the prospect of a merger for next year.

Both schools indicated last night they will go alone for 1969-70. Their present total enrollments are 1,180.

Vince Miller, president of the St. Joseph's board, said merger would have been a great idea 15 years ago or might be possible in another year if parochialism is passed.

Sister Lucinda of St. John's said: "We are taking the risk of not having a Catholic school system in a year or two."

Joseph Hanley of the St. Joseph's parish council said: "What makes us think we can fight what's going on in the entire country?"

PLEA FOR MERGER

A plea for immediate consolidation was made by Bob Schmid of the St. Bernard's board. Schmid is athletic director and basketball coach at St. Joseph's Catholic.

He said St. John's and St. Joseph's face loss of lay teachers without merger. "Catholic education never has been a paying proposition. People have to be willing to make it exist."

Michael Bottas of St. Joseph's said he figured merger would cost St. John's about \$43,000 more than this year's school expenses. If the parish is in financial straits, how can it assume an additional burden?

The three boards last night received a financial report on current and projected school expenditures. The report said both St. John's and St. Joseph's currently are about breaking even.

DIPPING INTO FUND

It noted that St. John's is dipping into an "Achievement Fund" for school operation. The fund was intended to pay off a

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MELVIN LAIRD
Secretary of Defense

Laird In Saigon For Conference

Warns Reds Retaliation In Making

By GEORGE ESPER

SAIGON (AP) — Defense Secretary Melvin Laird began his assessment of the Viet Cong offensive in an all-day round of conferences with U.S. officials in Vietnam.

Laird met all morning with Ambassador Ellsworth Bunker and Gen. Creighton W. Abrams, the top U.S. commander, at Abrams' headquarters. The conference continued after lunch.

The officials were said to have discussed what response the U.S. Command would make if the Viet Cong continued rocket and mortar attacks on Saigon and other major cities.

One of the men briefing Laird was Gen. George S. Brown, commander of the 7th Air Force, who directs all air operations in Vietnam.

Laird warned on his arrival at midnight Thursday that "if these attacks continue unabated, an appropriate response will be made."

Pressed by newsmen as to what such a response might be and if it might include resumption of the bombing of North Vietnam, Laird said that was not the time or place to go into details.

The Viet Cong's spring offensive was in its 13th day today, and allied spokesmen reported 30 military bases shelled during the night and a mortar attack on a provincial capital in the Central Highlands. Saigon was spared. U.S. and South Vietnamese troops reported 217 of the enemy killed in two ground and air operations Thursday.

As Laird conferred, Vice President Nguyen Cao Ky returned from the Paris peace talks and said he believes retaliation for the enemy rocket attacks on Saigon would be "appropriate." Asked if this included bombing North Vietnam, Ky replied, "Yes."

Targets of the enemy gunners Thursday night included the U.S. 9th Infantry Division headquarters at Dong Tam, 35 miles southwest of Saigon; the U.S. 1st Infantry Division headquarters 30 miles northwest of Saigon; a U.S. Marine air field near Da Nang and the Central Highlands town of Dalat, 140 miles northeast of Saigon.

The U.S. Command said "over-all casualties and damage were reported as light."

More than half a dozen helicopters of the 9th Division were sprayed with shrapnel and damaged, reports from Dong Tam said. Fourteen Americans were wounded there, and rockets also slammed into a U.S. Navy dock.

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Chapin Hall Offered To SJ Schools

Board To Study Proposal Monday

St. Joseph school board Monday will consider purchase of Chapin Hall, at 2000 South State street, St. Joseph. The Michigan Children's Aid Society has offered the building and 2.5 acres of land for \$60,000, it was learned today.

The three-story structure might be used as an administrative center, St. Joseph Supt. Richard Zehmer said. He said the school board would probably schedule public hearings before action was taken on any offer. The school board has sixty days to accept.

The 2.5 acre site adjoins Wells Field on the north. Wells Field is more popularly known as the "Little League Ball Park."

The meeting will be held in the crafts room of Lincoln school at 7 p.m.

Also on the agenda is a resolution concerning the failure of the State of Michigan to adequately provide for education in local districts.

The board will also hear a report on the elementary mathematics program.

Zehmer said the meeting is open to the public and all interested citizens are urged to attend.

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Otepka May Receive New Federal Post

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sources close to Otto F. Otepka say he may be offered a post on the Subversive Activities Control Board, a move that could settle the five-year-old controversy that began when he was fired as the State Department's chief security evaluator.

No one would confirm or deny the reports, but Sen. Everett M. Dirksen, R-Ill., said he had heard of the proposal and would "give attention to it." He denied sponsoring the suggestion.

Otepka was fired on grounds he provided secret information from department files to the Senate internal security subcommittee. A series of hearings led to an order that he be demoted, reprimanded and transferred, and the decision was upheld by the Civil Service Commission.

SACB members are paid \$36,000, and the job entails little work. There is an opening.

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Buffers Are Illusory

Following World War I, the French government poured half or more of the country's annual income for a decade into a gun studded entrenchment which its military leaders predicted as the ultimate defense to future invasion from the east.

The Maginot Line, named for the engineer who designed it failed utterly of its purpose.

Hitler's forces outflanked it on the north and shortly thereafter punched through it on the south.

Where the German army did not approach the Line, its guns later were surrendered without having fired a shot.

More frightful than this physical collapse was the Maginot state of mind which arose in France once the Line was completed. From the General Staff on down to a Parisian busboy, the French people placed a faith in the Line's protective power rivaling that of an Indian praying to the Rain God. The nation went into World War II totally unprepared in spirit for the job to be done.

Tuesday night, some 70 persons and their planning board demonstrated there is a Maginot mentality in St. Joseph township or some parts of it.

Stumped by the homeowner delegation, the township planning board reversed the findings of an engineering firm, hired previously

ly by the township, by recommending that 90 acres in the Cleveland avenue-Brown School road area be kept under residential zoning.

The planning commission carried the idea even further by calling on the village of Shoreham to incorporate the acreage into the village to prevent the land being rezoned for commercial or industrial purposes.

This buffer strip is needed, according to the sentiment expressed at the meeting, to maintain a prop under residential values in the Shoreham vicinity and to prevent the city of St. Joseph from nibbling the territory away from the township.

Put another way, repeating actually the thoughts expressed at the meeting, what is a bedroom community should remain such for all time.

Unless more people, including we would suspect, most of Tuesday's protesters, come around to adopting local income taxes to support local governmental services, the property tax must remain a major source of local revenue.

The only practical way to get more mileage from the property tax is to encourage commercial and industrial development as a property tax subsidy for the homeowner whose wants and requirements make the price tag on schools, police protection, street lighting, etc., what is it.

A bedroom community can not pay its own way, and as recent millage elections have demonstrated in St. Joseph school district elections it is the source for most of the opposition to further hikes in the property tax.

There is nothing wrong whatever in a homeowner not wanting to be next door to a shopping center or an industrial park.

Neither is there anything inherently evil or distasteful in the modern type industrial development such as has arisen on St. Joe's south side and beyond.

What is incredible is the belief which Tuesday's meeting seems to imply, that one can have his cake and eat it; that he can enjoy posh surroundings and posh services without paying for them or, as is true with industrial and commercial taxation, having a neighbor pay most of the bill.

Some communities, admittedly, killed themselves years ago by indiscriminate, irresponsible spot zoning.

We would hope the township board, which has the final word in this zoning hassle, won't permit unreasoning, old style blind spots on commercial and industrial development to create the same attrition.

Climatic Shift Foreseen

An interesting controversy has been rekindled by Col. Bernt Balchen, the polar explorer and flier who piloted Adm. Byrd across the Atlantic and to the South Pole in the 1920s. He points to danger that the Arctic Ocean ice cap may continue melting as it has for years until the ice disappears.

Should this happen, severe climatic changes would occur throughout the world, perhaps to the extent of turning mid-continent United States and Eurasia into vast deserts.

While there is virtual agreement among polar experts that the Arctic ice cap has been shrinking for decades, there are many who contend the process has either slowed considerably or stopped completely. Col. Balchen disagrees.

He predicts that by the 1980s, perhaps within a decade, the ocean at the North Pole will become open water. Because the Arctic ice pack is largely over ocean, not land, its complete melting would have no effect on water levels throughout the world, as melting of the ice in Antarctica would.

Should the ice pack disappear, storm paths would move farther north, depriving much of the United States and other parts of the world of a large part of the rainfall they now receive.

Florida was an Ice Age "winter resort" for man, mammoths, and mastodons thousands of years before Miami and Palm Beach existed.

The Big Catch



GLANCING BACKWARDS

FAMILY TUITION PLAN IS ADOPTED

—1 Year Ago—
St. Joseph Catholic school has adopted a family plan that pegs maximum tuition at \$325 for children.

It represents a revision in the tuition schedule from the rates that were announced earlier. Unchanged for 1968-69 is the individual cost of \$150 for each high school student and \$75 for each child in grade school. The most any family can pay next year is \$325.

CLEAN OFF OIL AT LIONS PARK

—10 Years Ago—
Mysterious oil that washed ashore onto twin city beaches, first noticed at the end of 1958, is being removed at the Lions park beach by city of St. Joseph road crews.

The black slick was shoveled onto a front-end loader in the heaviest areas. Workmen raked up lighter areas.

FINNS WAITING SOVIET REPLY

—21 Years Ago—
The Finnish government is

WILLIAM RITT

You're Telling Me!

At the annual International Toy Fair in Nuernberg, Germany, this year, 1,352 manufacturers of playthings displayed their products. Santa Claus certainly does have lots of helpers, doesn't he?

Now that scientists have created pink and orange clouds by shooting rockets laden with vapor skyward, who says we cannot have rainbows without rain?

The Statue of Liberty, we read, weighs 4,500,000 pounds. That's hefty—but she always has been, and still is, America's No. 1 Sweetheart!

That Hartford, Conn., grocer who, with the aid of refuse collectors, recovered a bag containing \$700 which he had stashed in his garbage can certainly was lucky. Incidentally, what was it Will Shakespeare said about a purse being trash?

HENRY CATHCART

Inside Washington

WASHINGTON — President Nixon's recruitment of outstanding Americans to become members of his administration team continues at an extremely slow pace. It is finding it difficult to persuade such men to accept the personal sacrifices such appointments would require.

But another reason is becoming apparent. It concerns rival factions, each supporting its own favorite for some key government policy-making position, and an inability on the part of the Nixon administration to make a choice.

In the first few weeks of the new administration, when the very top echelon of government officialdom was being named, a number of individuals who were approached, did decline for one reason or another. In some instances individuals could not afford to take the steps that conflict of interest principles would have required. In some

momentarily awaiting word from the Soviet Russian government on Finland's "reply to Moscow" on proposed armistice terms, the Aftonbladet's Helsinki correspondent reported today. This report which was cleared by Finnish censorship, was the first word direct from Finland tending to lend credence to reports that Finland had made some sort of acknowledgement of the Russian terms. But particulars of the reply were not made known.

The Finnish parliament is scheduled to meet today but the Aftonbladet report said it was thought the government would make no new declaration to parliament.

WHERE'S SPRING?

—25 Years Ago—
Maine may have its rock-bound coast, but western Michigan seems destined this winter to have an eternally ice-bound lake shore.

RUTH RAMSEY

Today's Grab Bag

THE ANSWER QUICK!
1. What is the liquid part of blood called?
2. What is an American of Japanese parentage called?
3. What is the original name of the "Star Spangled Banner"?
4. Is the metabolic rate in humans higher in the male or the female?
5. How long has Portugal been an independent state?

YOUR FUTURE
Some benefit through a sad domestic occurrence is probable. Today's child will be very artistic and refined.

WATCH YOUR LANGUAGE
PANOPLY — (PAN-e-pli) — noun; a complete suit of armor; a complete array of something.

IT HAPPENED TODAY
On this day in 1876, Alexander Graham Bell obtained a patent for the telephone.

DID YOU KNOW...
Certain kinds of seaweed are used for food in the Orient.

BORN TODAY
As a boy in Lancaster, Mass., Luther Burbank experimented with a potato seed ball in a

CAST NAMED

—46 Years Ago—
Main characters are named for the two plays, "The Moon in the Picture" and "Who's Crazy Now?" which are to be given as part of the senior nonsense night to raise money to publish the high school annual. Casts will include Edward Brown, Virginia Willis, Carl Hess, Mary Alice Dwan, Max Jeschke, Franklyn Chrest, Leona Slater, Edward Zick and Victor Gowdy.

BUY BUICK

—20 Years Ago—
Lopker Brothers have purchased a new model B-38 coupe Buick through the Niles agency. Immediate delivery is to be made.

GOOD INDICATION

—10 Years Ago—
The increase of business at the post office during February is an indication of continued advance in business throughout the village.

garden and grew 23 different kinds of potatoes, one of which became the forerunner of nearly all fine potatoes grown today.

Born in 1849, Burbank had formal schooling to the age of 19, but his extra curricular reading included Charles Darwin, whose "Variations of Animals and Plants Under Domestication" shaped his career.

At Santa Rosa, Calif., he set up a greenhouse and nursery garden in 1875 and carried on experiments for the next 50 years.

Although he had no interest in proving or disproving scientific theories, his work tended to substantiate Darwin on the process of natural selection.

Burbank set out to improve useful species of plants and develop new varieties. He laboriously raised hundreds of thousands of individual plants.

Among the most celebrated of his successes are the Burbank potato; spineless cactus, for feeding in desert areas; plumcot, a cross between a plum and an apricot; new varieties of quince, peach, apple and hybrid walnut; white blackberry, plum and new myrtle, and many flowers.

Plums and prunes were the experiments he carried on the longest — an uninterrupted span of 40 years. He spent 35 years on berries, evolving at least 10 new varieties of commercial value.

He lectured on evolution at Stanford University in later life and published several books, among them "Luther Burbank, His Methods and Discoveries" (1914-15) and "How Plants Are Trained to Work for Man" (1921).

Burbank died April 11, 1926, in Santa Rosa.

Others born today include Maurice Ravel, Ben Ames Williams and Anna Magnani.

IT'S BEEN SAID

Take a rest; a field that has rested gives a bountiful crop. —Ovid.

HOW'D YOU MAKE OUT?

1. Plasma.
2. A Nisel.
3. "The Defense of Fort Mclenny."
4. Higher in the male.
5. Since the 12th century.

DR. COLEMAN

..And Speaking Of Your Health

The next time you visit a doctor notice how many of the questions you ask can only be answered by prophecy and the guesswork demanded of him. If he falls into the trap of saying "It will last ten days or six months" both the patient and the doctor are heading for disappointment.

A physician learns over the years that certain diseases can generally take about a certain length of time. There are so many individual factors in the makeup of every patient that it is im-

possible to say with any degree of certainty how an illness would fit into a time prophecy. It is impossible to know how long a patient with serious heart disease or cancer will remain alive. Because too many strange and unaccountable things happen in the life cycle of man, speculation is worthless. The doctor knows what a patient's condition is today and again what it is in a few days but cannot possibly be expected to be a divining oracle about the duration of illness.

To make the demand of prophecy of a doctor is unfair because it places on him a burden that eventually can disrupt a valuable relationship. The patient is really the first to know that he is feeling better and then relays it to his doctor. This is far more sensible than the guesswork and disappointment of unscientific predictions.

Red streaks that run up the

arm or the legs indicate an infection of the outer veins. This is known as phlebitis and is almost always traced to an infected crack or break in the skin of the feet or the hands.

Phlebitis is associated with tenderness and swelling and deserves immediate attention. Sometimes these red streaks may lead to a tender gland in the groin or one in the armpit. Treatment with wet dressings, rest and the antibiotics can almost always quickly control the extension of this condition and result in its cure. It is imperative that this be treated quickly and actively to avoid complications when the infection spreads into the deeper veins of the body.

Sudden episodes of profuse watery discharge from the nose are almost always due to an allergy. Some people believe that the diagnosis of allergy is overdone. It is true that the allergy diagnosis has unfortunately been used as a temporary stopgap to explain "unexplainable symptoms." The runny nose without any fever is not "the constant cold," that people think they have. Fever is rarely present with allergy and is usually found in people with colds due to infection.

SPEAKING OF YOUR HEALTH: Clear your house of fire hazards.

Dr. Coleman welcomes letters from readers, and, while he cannot undertake to answer each one, he will use questions in his column whenever possible and when they are of general interest. Address your letters to Dr. Coleman in care of this newspaper.

JAY BECKER

Contract Bridge

You are South, both sides vulnerable. The bidding has been:

South	West	North	East
1♣	Pass	1♥	Pass
1♠	Pass	2♣	Pass
?			

What would you bid now with each of the following four hands?

1. ♠A63 ♣74 ♦AKJ52 ♣83
2. ♠AKJ5 ♣9 ♦AQ7863 ♣Q7
3. ♠KQ94 ♣J ♦KJ742 ♣AK85
4. ♠KQJ2 ♣J8 ♦AQJ9 ♣A74

1. Two diamonds. The only real choice lies between two diamonds or two notrump. Two notrump would be the more encouraging bid, but we lack the extra values for this direct move towards game. Our hand is of the minimum class — only 14 high-card points — and we have not yet identified it as such, since our first two bids would have been exactly the same holding another queen or two.

Partner is unlikely to pass two diamonds — in view of the two forcing bids he has made — but, if he does, we can be sure our side lacks the values for a sound game contract.

2. Three diamonds. Here we have substantial values beyond a minimum opening bid and have not yet shown them. While we have the high-card values for a jump to three notrump, this bid would indicate a balanced hand, which we don't have.

3. Five clubs. Practically every hand rises or falls in value as the bidding progresses. Thus, when we opened this one, the prospect for game or slam was exceptionally good, but when North responded one heart, the value of the hand dropped appreciably.

However, when North next bids two clubs, our original values are not only restored but increased. Slam is now a distinct possibility, but we cannot bid it single-handed. Partner will realize from the jump to five clubs that we have an excellent hand with good trump support and a probable void in hearts. He will thus be in good position to appraise his values, discounting any strength he has in hearts.

4. Three notrump. With 18 high-card points and a notrump type of hand, this is clearly the right bid. It would be wrong to bid only two notrump, which partner could pass. Two notrump would be proper if we changed the ace of clubs to the jack.

BENNET CERF

Try And Stop Me

Many big football games have been played in abominable weather, but never have two teams faced worse conditions than those confronting Penn and Cornell one Thanksgiving Day for their traditional contest. Rain was coming down in buckets, and the field — not to mention the spectators — was soaked. The Cornell captain won the toss and, asked whether his team would kick off or receive, decided, "I guess we'll be better off kicking with the tide!"

Recently, reports Dick Schap, the French government, which one might think had better things to do with its time these troubled days, took a survey among school girls to discover the famous woman they would like most to emulate when they grew up. Line Renaud, a well-endowed singer whose technique has overtones of Edith Piaf, flavored with a dash of Chevalier, and who has no fewer than three spectacular productions currently enthralling art lovers in Las Vegas, came in second. Narrowly beating her out for first place was a nonsinger named Joan of Arc.

QUICKIES:

They collared a would-be grafter in Dallas recently. He was planning to dip in the heart of taxes.

Mosquitoes, thinks Wilfred Beaver, are like little kiddies. The moment they stop making noises you know they're getting into something.



Factographs

Shore birds have a in common a long bill and relatively long legs with specialized feet.

A wild golden eagle seldom attacks livestock.

Fully grown, a big male grizzly bear weighs from 800 to 1,000 pounds.

The United States has maintained a naval station at Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, since 1903.

Three times in a little more than 10 years, coups d'etat have rocked Iraq.

William Makepeace Thackeray wrote under the pseudonym of George Savage Fitzboon.

Nearly 9,000 offshore oil wells have been sunk in the world's continental shelves.

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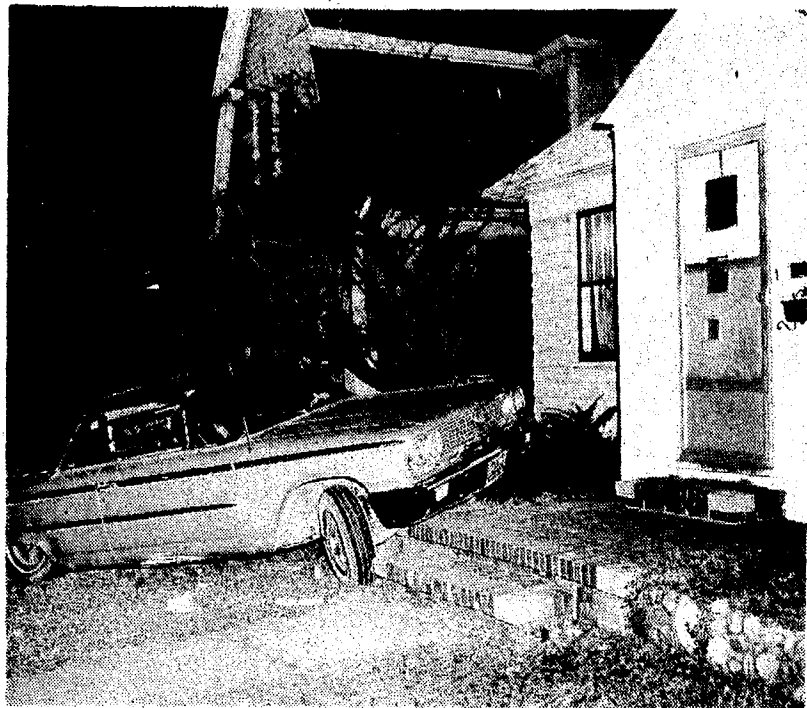
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MODEL CITIES UNITS EYE STAFF, AGENCIES



WHO DROVE? Benton Harbor Patrolman Dwight Claustre found this car perched on the front steps of a house at 725 East Main street early this morning, but he found no driver. Claustre said none of the half dozen persons standing around the car identified himself as the driver. Police said the car was registered to Percy Harris of 1096 Columbus avenue. No injuries were reported. (Staff photo).

Objectives, Goals Told By Davis

Discuss Filling Of Vacancies On Steering Council

Final steps for completing organization of the agencies and staffs which will develop the Benton Harbor — Benton township Model Cities program planning were begun Thursday on two fronts.

The Citizen's Steering Council (CSC) met for a dinner session with the Community Progress Commission (CPC) and devised a system for selecting nominees for the seven appointive seats on the 19-member Steering Council. The 12 present members were elected from districts within the 1,236-acre program area.

Nominations will be submitted to the Benton Harbor city commission and the Benton township trustee board for approval.

The Steering Council is responsible for developing the one-year detailed plan to improve the area as well as a five-year general program. The Progress Commission was appointed by the two governmental units as a Regional Planning Commission to oversee the work and make final recommendations to them.

The Steering council also accepted proposed goals and objectives and scheduled a second meeting for 6 p.m. March 13. Final election of the seven nominees will be carried out then.

JOB QUALIFICATIONS

Earlier Thursday, at a luncheon meeting also in Howard Johnson's restaurant, the CPC determined qualifications for two coordinators as well as clerical help for the program's administrator.

The CPC, created by the city and township as a regional planning commission to get the Model Cities program underway, also determined the citizen's council members as CPC members would receive no pay. Continued study for permanent office quarters was ordered during the CPC meeting.

In the dinner session, citizens' council members nominated 39 persons for the seven appointive slots. They agreed to cut the number to 14 by noon Monday through a mail-in vote procedure.

The Council agreed that the seven appointees could reside anywhere in the community-at-large.

District 12 Rep. Warren P. Mitchell proposed that the seven be excluded from holding the chairman's seat and the vice chairman seats on the council to insure that the council's delegation to the CPC be from the elected representatives.

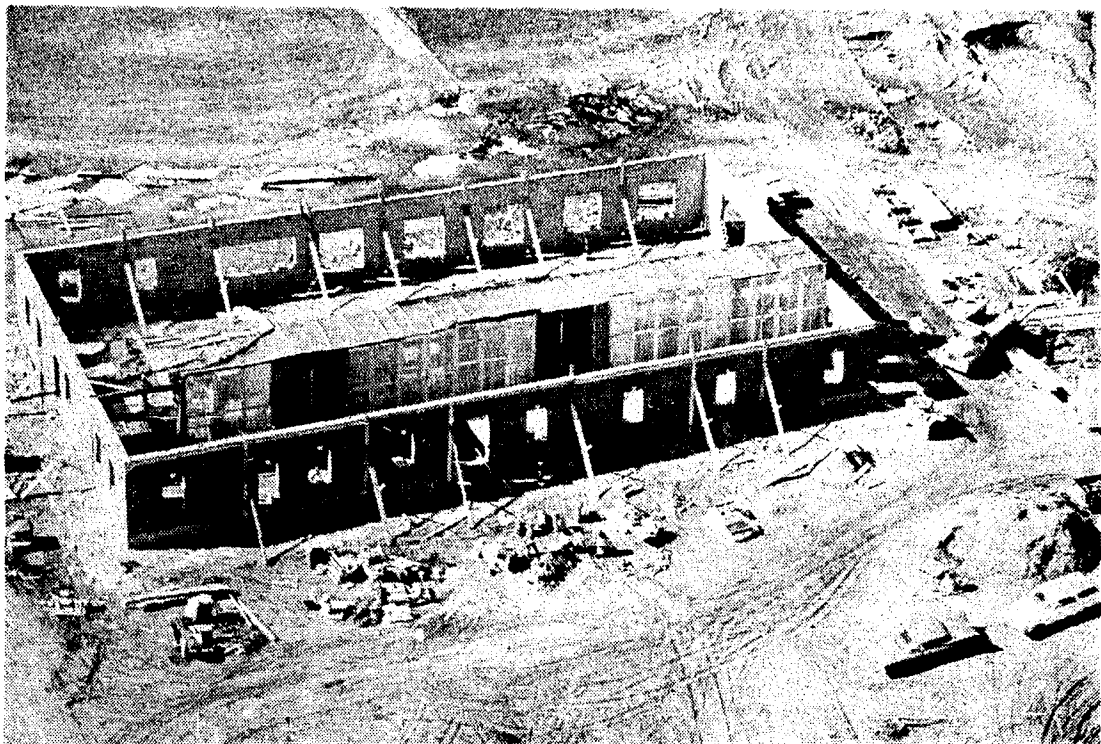
Under the proposed planning, the chairman and two vice chairmen will become the final three members of the CPC. Once named, the nine-member CPC will elect permanent officers.

TAKE NO ACTION

No action was taken on Mitchell's proposal.

Temporary CPC chairman Richard Peters recommended that action be withheld until the other seven have been named and can be present. The seven will vote and have the same powers as the elected 12.

Administrator Ben Davis submitted the goals and objectives which had been outlined



AHEAD OF SCHEDULE: New clubhouse of Benton Harbor Elks Lodge 544 is expected to open about May 15. A mild winter and plastic enclosure to shelter workmen have put the job ahead of schedule. Clubhouse is on grounds of Elks Country

club in Hagar township where 18-hole golf course was opened last summer. Country club represents total investment of \$750,000. (Aerial photo by Adolph Hann).

Mrs. Isom Bound Over On Charge Of Murder

Mrs. Hazel Isom, 29, of 478 Cherry street, Benton Harbor, was bound over to Berrien Circuit court yesterday after a tearing on a murder charge in the gunshot death of her husband last month.

The preliminary examination was held before Fifth District Judge John Hammond, who ruled that Mrs. Isom be held on a charge of second degree murder since the prosecution "did not offer evidence of

premeditation." She was held without bond. Mrs. Isom previously had been charged with first degree murder.

Her husband, William, 35, was shot fatally in the head with a .22 caliber pistol while in the parking lot of the Bluebird tavern, 1304 Territorial road, Benton township, during a March of Dimes benefit dance last month.

Mrs. Wilma Duncan, 27, of 844 Warwick terrace, Benton Harbor, sustained a minor wound in the same incident.

FOUR TESTIFY

Four witnesses testified on behalf of the prosecution, including the doctor who first treated Isom, Dr. Manuel Sori; the tavern bouncer, William Shea the arresting officer, Robert Burton of the Benton township police; and the pathologist who performed the post mortem, Dr. Paul Colligan.

Shea testified that he witnessed the shooting in the tavern's parking lot at about 2 a.m. He said that he was standing just outside the tavern door and had noticed Mr. and Mrs. Isom standing about 8 feet away behind an automobile.

He testified that he heard a gunshot, looked up and saw Mrs. Isom firing at her husband from close range. He said she fired four shots and then turned and fired one shot at Mrs. Duncan, who was standing nearby.

Shea said that he saw Mr. Isom hit, and that he "threw up his hands" and fell to the ground.

Shea said that he then ran over to Mrs. Isom, grabbed her and took away the gun. He said he directed the other victim, Mrs. Duncan, who was bleeding from a shoulder wound, to go across the street for her own protection.

Shea quoted Mrs. Isom as

saying after the shooting, I'm not sorry a bit."

Burton testified that when he arrived at the scene shortly afterward he found Mr. Isom still lying on the ground between two cars.

He walked over to Mrs. Isom, who was standing nearby in the midst of a group, and asked her

(See back page, sec. 1, col. 6)

Crash Hurts Mrs. Sizer Of Harbert

Mrs. Lawrence Sizer, of Harbert, was admitted to Benton Harbor Mercy hospital yesterday following a three-car accident at John Beers road and Red Arrow highway. Her husband is a business consultant, and a member of the Mercy hospital board of trustees.

Mrs. Sizer was admitted for observation and was reported in satisfactory condition this morning. Her husband said she suffered a slight contusion, had three stitches taken to close a head cut, and also received multiple body bruises.

Berrien county sheriff Deputy James Leonard said Mrs. Sizer's car was hit by one car and knocked against another car stopped at the intersection.

Driver Rosemary I. Hayes, 23, of Notre Dame road, Stevensville, was issued a summons for failure to yield the right of way.

A car driven by James E. Allen, 59, of 1450 Lake boulevard, St. Joseph, was stopped at the intersection.

SJ Request On Zoning Over Hurdle

St. Joseph Planning commission yesterday voted to recommend to the St. Joseph city commission that a small plot of ground at Hilltop road and Lakeshore drive be rezoned light industrial and suggested that a corner lot be included in the rezoning.

The St. Joseph Improvement association made the original request. The organization is assembling an industrial park tract in the area and most of its property is already in the light industrial classification.

The portion still residential is an odd-shaped piece extending 400 feet on Hilltop and 500 feet on Lakeshore drive.

Members of the planning commission felt that the corner lot, owned by another party, should be included in the recommendation for rezoning.

Chamber Post Goes To Miller

Theodore W. Miller, director of industrial and community relations for the St. Joseph division of Whirlpool corporation, has been appointed as a director of the Twin Cities Area Chamber of Commerce to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Marvin Weller, according to Robert Starks, chamber president. Miller also was appointed vice president of community affairs.

Miller is a member of the American Psychological association; MSU Advisory committee; American Society of Personnel roundtable; State Chamber of Commerce labor affairs committee and Republican county membership chairman. He is a former president of the Unitarian Fellowship of Berrien county.

He and his wife, Sanka, reside at 3218 Valley View drive, St. Joseph. They are the parents of four children.

Girl Waives Hearing On Drug Count

Bound Over To Circuit Court

Magda Luebke, 17, of 490 Territorial road, waived examination yesterday before Sixth District Judge Harry Laity in Benton Harbor and was bound over to circuit court on a charge of disposing and dispensing drugs without a license.

She was arrested by Benton Harbor police for allegedly handing out barbiturates to another high school student.

Judge Laity released her on personal recognizance.

PLEADS INNOCENT

Quincy Covington, 28, of 669 Pearl street, Benton Harbor, pleaded innocent to a charge of malicious destruction of property. Bond was set at \$100.

Gerald Max Padgett, 17, of route 1, Covert, and Richard Smith, 17, of 1051 Milton street, pleaded guilty to charges of contributing to the delinquency of minors. Both were fined \$25 plus costs. They were arrested by Benton Harbor police Wednesday in a car with two 15-year-old girls who had skipped school. The girls were petitioned to Berrien juvenile court.

In Fifth District court in St. Joseph township, Gerald Lee Van Brocklin, 21, of M-140, Watervliet, waived examination and was bound over to circuit court on a charge of driving while license revoked. Bond was set at \$150.

Daniel Brown, 42, of 1035 Bishop avenue, Benton Harbor, demanded examination on charges of rape and indecent liberties with a minor girl. Bond was set at \$10,000 and examination date fixed for March 13.

Ray Brandt, 31, of route 1, Box 410, Lakeside road, Three Oaks, pleaded guilty to a charge of drunk and disorderly. Bond was set at \$10,000 and pre-sentencing investigation and an examination on a charge of larceny in a building was adjourned until a later date.

CHECK CHARGE

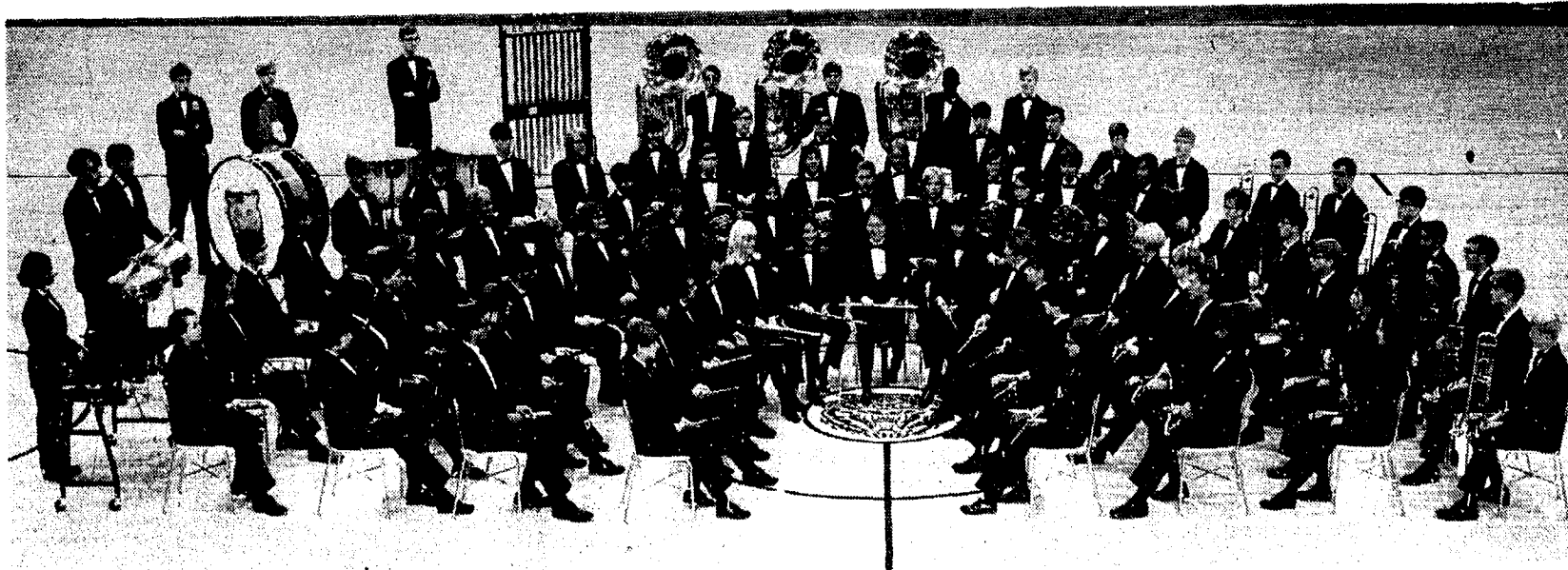
Jimmie William Hankins, 29, of Dallas, Texas, was bound over to circuit court on a charge of cashing a no-account check.

Charles William Motry, 22, of 1643 Main street, Niles, pleaded guilty to a charge of driving under the influence of liquor and was sentenced to three days in county jail plus a fine of \$50 and costs of \$24.

Robert Ramsey, of 8 South Eagle street, New Buffalo, pleaded guilty to a charge of assault and battery but was ordered to pay only \$9 in costs.

FARM BUREAU TO MEET

INDIAN LAKE — Ralph Holle will show pictures of his trip to South America at the monthly meeting of the Silver Creek Farm Bureau this evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sprague. A potluck dinner will be served prior to the meeting.



TIGER BAND IN CONCERT: The Benton Harbor high school symphony band, directed by Bernhardt M. Kuschel, will present its 40th annual concert Thursday, March 20, in the high school

gymnasium. The program will consist of some of the finest classical and contemporary music available for the modern symphonic band along with traditional marches. Tickets are available from

band members, band parents and the senior high band office. (Redman & Ames photo)

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EYE LINK TO BH-SJ SEWAGE DISPOSAL PLANT

Foster Homes Provide
Vital 'Personal Touch'

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Many More Are Needed

By BRANDON BROWN
Staff Writer

STUART M. BOSS

Susie is 18, emotionally immature for her age, and needs a foster home with a personal touch to help keep her from becoming a patient in a state mental hospital.

Susie is hypothetical, but the need for foster homes is not, according to Stuart M. Boss, executive director of the southwestern Michigan regional consultation center of the state mental health department, county courthouse, St. Joseph.

The center has a half-dozen retarded or emotionally disturbed clients in foster homes in the four-county southwestern Michigan area and needs homes for 20 more now and possibly 50 to 60 in the future, Boss said.

'HELPING HAND'
A typical foster home candidate would be a young man or woman age 17 to 21, emotionally immature, needing a family that offers a fair, firm helping hand while giving the new roomer "the feeling someone cares," Boss said.

Foster homes have been used here for the past year to year and a half and work "very well," he said. The half-dozen living in them now either work for room and board or pay their own way from private funds, but state aid to foster home operators at about \$4 a day or \$25 weekly is available.

Boss' center helps the retarded, emotionally disturbed and

mentally ill on the theory that, where possible, they're better off outside a hospital than in one "because it's normal."

Foster homes fill the bill nicely by keeping the disturbed or retarded in society and solving daily problems "in a kind of sheltered setting" without having to undergo the sometimes traumatic and dehumanizing atmosphere of a state mental hospital or home for the retarded, Boss said.

Foster home life hopefully will aid their rehabilitation.

JOBS NECESSARY
The greatest need is for homes near cities where jobs

are available. Homes need not be licensed if the roomer is 18 or over, and all homes and roomers remain under the supervision and frequent personal contact of Boss and his staff.

Prospective foster parents are visited personally, must supply good references from others in the community and offer "stability, attitudes of acceptance and understanding, and a pretty genuine liking for people," Boss said.

A girl like Susie, for example, may appear normal, have a serious emotional problem under control but still need someone who cares and will help guide her by setting limits. A retarded roomer may be the mental equivalent of a happy, well-behaved 10 or 12-year-old who needs guidance on how to handle money and other day-to-day problems.

Often the foster family and new member mutually "adopt" each other in a relationship that spans their lifetimes, Boss said.

He and his 11-member staff of full, part-time and volunteer helpers currently have some 300 clients ranging from retarded infants to adults fresh out of state hospitals.

Nearly three-quarters fall in the latter class, with the balance split almost equally between those who need institutional care and those who can be helped without it.

NORMAL APPEARING
The clients voluntarily contact Boss' center and "most of our clients—if you met them on the street—you'd never know them from anyone else," Boss said.

Most of the center's retardation cases are "grossly retarded" infants. Center officials screen retardees and help parents with commitments to state institutions if necessary or refer them to the St. Joseph River Valley Mental Health clinic, a private nonprofit clinic using state funds.

Other clients need professional counseling to help keep them out of state institutions, but most are post-institutional cases—those released from a state mental hospital or home for the retarded.

The typical post-institutional case is an adult released after several months in a hospital. Center social workers help him conquer day-to-day problems and the fear of returning to "normal" life, aid him in obtaining needed tranquilizing or mood-elevating drugs, and may help him find and keep a job.

"We go all the way from filling the need of people who need a rather understanding type of approach to the type of person who needs firm guidelines set for him," Boss said.

Chikaming
Subdivision
Is Rezoned

than 10 years and a \$5,000 fine for a first offense.

"I'm willing to concede that perhaps the proposal is too severe on the user," Youngblood said. "But we'll have to decide that after committee study."

"But the man who manufactures narcotics illegally and sell it on the streets—he's the one I really want. My intent is to get to the head people."

'SLOW DEATH'
"If you shoot someone with a gun, that's murder," Youngblood added. "If you give someone a narcotic, it's still murder, a slow death."

Another measure, aimed at "thrill seekers" who use chemicals for kicks, was proposed by Sen. Robert VanderLaan, R-Grand Rapids.

The bill would broaden the law outlawing glue sniffing to cover "chemical agents containing toxic chemicals or organic solvents or both, having the property of releasing toxic vapors."

"Law enforcement officers have found that our present law making glue sniffing illegal is not adequate to meet the problem caused by young thrill seekers," VanderLaan said.

"In recent months, they report youngsters have taken to using other dangerous chemicals as intoxicants, in many cases, with disastrous results not only to themselves but to innocent persons they attack while under the influence of the mind-crazing chemicals."

VanderLaan said his proposal, which is backed by law enforcement agencies and the State Health Department Crime Laboratory, could "help protect these youngsters from their own folly."

In other action, the Senate passed and sent to the House a measure repealing the state law governing operation of streetcars.

"There are no streetcars in the State of Michigan," explained Sen. James Fleming, R-Jackson.

Suburbs
South Of
St. JosephConference Of
Officials Set
For Monday

Prospects of expanding the Twin Cities sewage treatment plant to serve St. Joseph and Lincoln townships and the Village of Stevensville will be discussed next week by representatives of all governmental units involved.

The meeting, announced today by James Small, Stevensville village president, is scheduled for 9 a.m. Monday, at St. Joseph city hall.

"If a solution is possible," said Small, "it will update Stevensville's sewage plans 15 years, and eliminate the building of a sewage treatment plant as proposed in 1968."

Hopes for joining the Twin Cities sewage treatment operation hinge on needs of the Bendix Corp. Lakeshore plant, said Harry Gast, Jr., Lincoln township supervisor. Bendix officials also will attend the meeting Monday.

Gast said a sewage treatment plant, built by Stevensville to serve the village and Lincoln township, including the Bendix plant, would be obsolete within 15 years. According to Gast, the state has determined that a local plant would be limited in capacity by the flowage of Hickory creek.

"Service to the Bendix plant, alone, would limit the life of the new plant," said Gast, adding that a pool of units using the Twin Cities plant appears to be the right direction.

JUST EXPLORATORY
Benton Harbor City Manager Don C. Stewart today took a wait and see attitude, saying that all he knows of the meeting is that it will be exploratory in nature. Stewart said the discussion should give Twin Cities officials a clearer picture of what is sought by the other units.

Stewart said a study has been made locally over eventually doubling the size of the existing treatment system. He said the study also included installation of new equipment for better phosphate removal.

While no specific results have been revealed, Stewart said an expanded plant would continue serving Benton township, as it

Murch Co.
Will Build
New PlantPlan Expansion
In Washington

PAW PAW — The A.F. Murch Co. of Paw Paw announced today it will soon begin construction of a new plant in Grandview, Washington, to process Concord grapes, apples, cherries and a variety of other fruit into high density juice and puree concentrates.

As a part of the new expansion program, the Murch Co. has concluded an agreement to purchase the fruit juice processing assets of Safeway Stores, Inc. Safeway will discontinue its present processing of raw fruit and will assign its grower contracts to the Murch company. Murch, in return, will furnish Safeway with its fruit juice and puree concentrate requirements.

The A.F. Murch Company was founded in Paw Paw in 1949 by Andrew F. Murch as a winery, and has since grown into one of the nation's largest producers of non-citrus fruit juice and puree concentrate products.

The firm operates two plants in Michigan, at Paw Paw and Baroda, with year around employment of about 100 people. At its Paw Paw plant, lines run all year with the production of well over three million cases of juice products. Bulk concentrates are shipped to customers throughout the nation and to several export markets.

The company is also rapidly becoming one of the largest growers of Concord grapes in the world, with 500 acres presently being developed. The grape growing operation was undertaken in 1965, to increase the supply of grapes processed through its Michigan plants.



ROAD GRADING: Cass County Road commission grader operator moves earth in widening of Dailey road north of Edwardsburg. Three miles of road are being widened in preparation for blacktopping

next summer, part of \$300,000 road improvement projects planned this year in Cass county. (Norma Lerner photo).

has for some time, and possibly would take in St. Joseph township.

TOWNSHIP REQUESTS
Stewart said he has received a written request by Supervisor Gast to have Lincoln township included in expansion plans. And, an oral request has been received from Orval L. Benson, St. Joseph township supervisor, Stewart said.

The present sewage treatment plant is on Industrial island, across the St. Joseph river from the Travel Inn motel and both Benton Harbor and St. Joseph have held a joint operating agreement since 1951, Stewart reported.

Commenting on the bid for service, Supervisor Gast said the Bendix Corp. now utilizes a series of tiles and septic drainage fields for its sewage. Gast termed the plant problem acute, saying it's doubtful that Bendix can expand this system.

SMALL'S STATEMENT
Small announced the Monday meeting in a statement issued at the regular session of the Stevensville village council last night and noted with optimism:

"With an extension of time until 1970 for a completion date on Stevensville's (sewage treatment) project, and without loss to any existing grants by the federal government, plus being eligible for the new grants by the State of Michigan under the new Clean Water bond voted in November, 1968, the village council feels this plan is the best way towards working on an ultimate solution for the treatment of sewage from the Village of Stevensville and adjoining governmental units. This conforms to an engineering report at study to the 14 governmental units of north Berrien county which was made in 1968."

OPTION ON SITE
Small noted that while the village has an option on a 12-acre treatment plant site that is good until July, no purchase has been made and the village would only stand to lose the \$100 option fee.

Small said assessments on the proposed plant for Stevensville that appeared on the last tax bills would still be required for the installation of sewage lines. Small said only property owners who would be served are involved in these payments.

Since Stevensville was ordered by the Michigan Water Resources commission to correct sewage problems, plans for the Stevensville plant have hit several snags. Low construction bids on the project, originally figured at \$840,000, totaled more than \$1 million. Also, delays have occurred in the state's allocation of funds from the \$330 million Clean Water bond.

Van Buren
Jail Escapee
Is Captured

PAW PAW — Albert Lee Carr, 24, route 3, South Haven, is back in the Van Buren County jail today after being apprehended by Cass County sheriff's deputies at the state line yesterday afternoon.

Carr, a trusty at the jail, walked away Wednesday afternoon. He was serving a 60 day sentence for simple larceny and had 37 more days to serve. Acting on a tip, Deputies Ray Schantz and David Holloway captured Carr at a trailer home near the state line.

Get Early Start On
Cass Road WorkRemove 200 Trees In
Widening Project

CASSOPOLIS—Unusually mild and clear winter weather has enabled the Cass County Road commission to get a head start on widening 35 miles of county roads in preparation for blacktopping this year. The road improvements will cost an estimated \$300,000.

Workmen with bulldozers, graders and front end loaders have removed about 200 trees along Dailey road from Edwardsburg north to Yankee street east of Niles and from Pine Lake street north to M-60.

George Smith, road commission superintendent, said about three miles of Dailey road is being widened from 20 to 22 feet with 8-foot shoulders in preparation for blacktopping next summer.

REMOVE TREES

Earlier commission workmen

removed several large trees along Beebe road from Yankee street to M-60 east of Niles.

Six other road improvement projects are scheduled this year by the road commission, Smith said.

They include Sister Lakes road from M-62 to School street, two and a half miles; White Temple road east of Vandalia to Little fish lake, six miles; Brownsville road from Paradise Lake road to Union road; Lawrence road from Church street to McKenzie street, one mile; Elkhart road from May street to Redfield road south of Edwardsburg including 50-foot bridge over the creek at Garver lake, and blacktopping of Baron Lake road from Hoyt to Cook street.

Three Oaks
May Build
Fire Station

THREE OAKS — The possible building of a new village fire station to serve both Three Oaks and Three Oaks township was discussed during last night's meeting of the village council.

Three council members, Dr. Lester Knight, Chester Decker and Keith Gridley were appointed to inspect other fire stations in the area along with representatives of the township board.

Dr. Knight, chairman of the police and fire protection committee, was authorized to obtain bids for a new police patrol car. Police chief Louis E. Lake gave the monthly police report and was authorized to publish a notice regarding the ordinance banning dogs running loose.

INSURANCE CHANGE
Gerald Nye of the Robert B. Warren insurance agency met with the council to discuss a possible change in the group insurance policy for village workers. He will present rates covering increased benefits at the April meeting.

Street Commissioner Lawrence Gridley was authorized to stockpile gravel and crushed stone for street repairs.

The council also voted to adopt the articles of incorporation for the southwest Berrien county Landfill authority and to pay the \$50 membership fee for the organization.

James Hausmann, village president, was elected to serve as the village's representative on the landfill board.

The council also voted to deposit another \$10,000 of village funds in a savings account to draw interest and to take part in Mayor Exchange Day with Vicksburg on May 19.

The council will hold a special meeting March 20 to discuss the Three Oaks water works with George Grosse, superintendent of the plant.

Growers
Get Grace
PeriodMust Install
Showers By 1971

LANSING — State Senator Charles Zollar, R-Benton Harbor, said today State Health department officials advised him growers who operate migrant camps will be allowed a grace period in which to install hot and cold shower facilities.

The federal labor department earlier had declined to allow a "phasing-in" period of several years for the installation of shower facilities required under new standards for migrant housing.

Zollar said today state health officials in charge of migrant camp licensing inspections informed him camp operators now will be allowed until 1971 to fulfill the shower requirement. He said the officials did not explain if this change had the blessing of federal officials, but he said he assumed it did.

Health department officials themselves had proposed the grace period for shower installation, but could not get federal approval previously. They told Zollar they recognized the financial problem and the physical difficulties many growers would encounter in trying to complete the prescribed shower facilities in time for this season.

Zollar had testified at a hearing before the Joint Committee on Administrative Rules recently relative to the health department's new rules for migrant camp licensing.

He said the health department officials today indicated they also would make certain other lesser changes in line with suggestions Zollar made at the hearing.

Last Day
To Register
In Buchanan

BUCHANAN — Today is the last day on which unregistered voters of the city of Buchanan may register to be eligible to vote in the city election Monday, April 7, according to Raymond T. Suabedissen, city clerk-treasurer. He said the clerk's office will be open until 8 p.m. to receive last minute registrations.

This year a commissioner and constable will be elected. Petitions are being circulated on behalf of Joseph C. Bachman, who is seeking re-election to the commission, an office he has held since 1963, and for David R. Scott, 304 Main street, and incumbent Larry Casto for the office of city constable. Scott, editor of the local newspaper, is making his first bid for office, and Casto is seeking his second year in the office.

Petitions may be filed with the city clerk starting today and the deadline to file is 5 p.m., March 18.

FALLS THROUGH ICE
LANSING (AP) — A 62-year-old Bath Township man drowned Wednesday when he fell through the ice on Park Lake northeast of Lansing.

Drug Bill May
Not Include 'Pot'Seeks Life Sentences For
Pushers And Users

LANSING (AP) — The sponsor of a bill that would provide a mandatory life sentence for illegal sale or possession of narcotics said Thursday it may not, in final form, cover marijuana.

"That's up to the Judiciary Committee to decide," said Sen. Charles Youngblood, D-Detroit.

When and if the bill is reported from committee, Youngblood added, it may specify the life penalty only for illegal sale — not possession.

"The man who manufactures narcotics illegally and sell it on the streets—he's the one I really want."

LAWMAKERS CONFUSED

Confusion arose Thursday when the bill first was introduced in the Senate.

Youngblood said he had been informed that "hard narcotics" do not include marijuana. A spokesman for Atty. Gen. Frank Kelley said, however, that current state statute includes marijuana in its definition of narcotic drugs.

Under the law, sale of narcotics is punishable by not less than 20 years nor more than life imprisonment. Possession brings a jail term of not more

Ex-Harbert
Postmaster
Is Cleared

A charge of obtaining money under false pretenses was dismissed yesterday against former Harbert postmaster David O'Donnohue Jr., by Fifth District court Judge Paul Pollard in St. Joseph township.

O'Donnohue had been arrested by New Buffalo State Police for allegedly receiving money from an insurance company for a damaged windshield.

At yesterday's preliminary examination prosecuting attorney Ronald Taylor argued that O'Donnohue had defrauded the company because he allegedly had sold the car before making the claim. Judge Pollard said the charge was dismissed because of insufficient evidence.

Nine Die In Tenement Fire

JERSEY CITY, N.J. (AP) — A young mother with her daughter in her arms leaped five floors to her death in a tenement fire which took nine lives Thursday night.

Mrs. Rena Dickerson, 29, jumped out a window of her top story flat with her daughter, Kristie, 6. She was killed and the girl died later in a hospital. Three other daughters, Dineer, 11, Dori, 5, and Wanda, 7 months, were found dead in the apartment of apparent smoke poisoning.

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ROYALTON TOWNSHIP BOARD OF REVIEW

Notice is hereby given that the Royalton Township Board of Review will meet on March 10 & 11th, 1969 from 9 A.M. to 12 noon and 2 P.M. to 6 P.M. in the township hall to review assessment rolls & hear any protest or appeals relative to assessment.

HARLEY MARSCHKE
Supervisor
March 6, 7, 8, 1969 HP Adv.

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NOTICE !!!

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Announcements

Lost and Found 1

LOST—License plate for truck. No. 7550 DE. Vic. St. Joe. Call 944-1366 after 3:30 p.m.

Personals 5

I WILL NOT—Be responsible for any bills or debts except those contracted by myself. Charles Beyer.

SILVER & GOLD COINS WANTED

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Special Notices 6

CITY OF BRIDGMAN — Is accepting separate bids for the following: Reconstruction of Baldwin Rd., & the installation of storm drain on Baldwin Rd. Plans, details and bidding forms may be obtained from the City Clerk, Phyllis Weber, at City Hall on Lake St., Thursday, March 20, 1969. Robert Anderson, City Supt.

CITY OF BRIDGMAN

GLEN OF MICHIGAN

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SHARPEST 3-BEDROOM NEAR SUBURBAN

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FAIRPLAIN 2 1/2 ACRES NEAR NAPIER & UNION

With frontage on Napier Ave. Also road frontage on Union at the edge of a very fast developing area. Approximately 2 1/2 acres of land ideal to build on or to have a garden. First time offered for a Fast Sale!!

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Large family home in excellent condition. The downstairs features modern kitchen, separate dining room, living room, full bath, 2 bedrooms & screened in porch. Upstairs is extra roomy with four large bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, full basement. This estate like property includes 1 1/2 acres of woods, 3 1/2 acres of grapes, large garage & barn. Also included is all the farming equipment you will need to operate your farm. Located South of Bridgman. Priced rock bottom at \$24,900.

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